

REMARKS

Claims 1, 4, 5 and 9-10 remain pending after amendment.

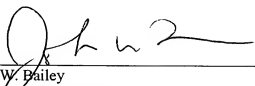
Amendment to Title

The Title is amended in a manner consistent with the suggestion of the Examiner, and in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.


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